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Medicare and Medicaid Programs; CY 2016 Home Health Prospective Payment System Rate Update; Home Health Value-Based Purchasing Model; and Home Health Quality Reporting Requirements; Correction

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Proposed rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document corrects technical errors in the proposed rule that appeared in the July 10, 2015 **Federal Register** entitled “Medicare and Medicaid Programs; CY 2016 Home Health Prospective Payment System Rate Update; Home Health Value-Based Purchasing Model; and Home Health Quality Reporting Requirements.”

DATES: The comment due date for the proposed rule published in the **Federal Register** on July 10, 2015 (80 FR 39839) remains September 4, 2015.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

In FR Doc. 2015-16790, published in the **Federal Register** on July 10, 2015 (80 FR 39839), there were technical errors that are identified and corrected in the Correction of

Errors section of this correcting document.

II. Summary of Errors

On page 39898, in our discussion of collection of OASIS data, we inadvertently provided an incorrect web address for a website.

On page 39898, in our discussion concerning the specifications and data for NQF #0678, we inadvertently provided an incorrect web address for a website.

III. Correction of Errors

In proposed rule FR Doc. 2015-16790, beginning on page 39840 in the issue of July 10, 2015, make the following corrections in the Supplementary Information:

1. On page 39898, in the first column, in the second full paragraph, the reference to the website beginning on line 25, “OASIS Manual <http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/>” is corrected to read “downloads section <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/HomeHealthQualityInits/HHQIQualityMeasures.html>”.

2. On page 39898, in the second column, in the first full paragraph, the website in line 11, “<http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Post-Acute-Care-Quality-Initiatives/PAC-Quality-Initiatives.html>” is corrected to read “<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/HomeHealthQualityInits/HHQIQualityMeasures.html>”.

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